

Special Programs

Volunteer Fun Days!

Brown Bag Lunch: Oct 3, Nov 7, Dec 12, Noon.

Masquerade Ball: Oct 28, 7-9 pm

See page 5 for details

Natural Jazz

Oct 21 The Christian Tamburr Quartet

Ticket Outlets:

The Oxbow Eco-Center

The Barkery (Ft. Pierce)

Ken Reed Printing, (Pt. St. Lucie)

The Pipe Den, (Vero Beach)

See back panel for details

Saturday Wake-Up Call

Lecture Series

1st Saturday of mo. @ 11:00 am

Nov 4 Building Sustainable Communities

Dec 2 From Lawns to Lakes

Jan 6 Biofuel Vehicles

See page 2 for details

Eco-Holidays and the Enchanted Trail

December 9th * 12 - 4 pm

Join the Oxbow on December 9th to walk the Enchanted Trail through the Oxbow Forest.

See page 1 for details

Nature at Night

6:30-8:30 pm

Jan 5: Owl Prowl & Bat Detecting

Join us for a special evening with our flying nighttime friends. Designed as an event the whole family can enjoy! Groups of 7 or more, please RSVP.

See back panel for details

Programs & Events at Other Locations

Environmental Land Hikes

Free * RSVP required 462-2526

December 2* 5:30 -7:00 pm

Paleo Hammock Owl Prowl

December 9* 9:00 am - 12 noon

Bald Eagles and Other Raptors at Bluefield

December 16* 10:00 am -12 noon

Butterflies of Paleo Hammock

October 2006

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3 Volunteer Brown Bag Lunch	4 *Photo Club Meeting	5 *Audubon Meeting	6	7
8	9	10 *Native Plant Meeting	11	12	13	14 *Nature for Families
15	16	17	18 *Herp. Meeting	19	20	21 *River Tour *Oxbow Blues
22	23	24	25	26	27	28 *Volunteer Masquerade Ball
29	30	31				

November 2006

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 *Photo Club Meeting	2 *Audubon Meeting	3	4 *Hike "Wake-up Call" Lecture
5	6	7 Volunteer Brown Bag Lunch	8	9	10 *Center Closed	11 *Hike *Nature for Families
12	13	14 *Native Plant Meeting	15 *Herp. Meeting	16	17	18 *Hike *River Tour
19	20	21	22	23 *Center Closed	24 *Center Closed	25 *Hike
26	27	28	29	30		

December 2006

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2*Hike *Wake-up Call* Lecture
3	4	5	6 *Photo Club Meeting	7 *Audubon Meeting	8	9*Eco- Holidays & Enchanted Trail
10	11	12*Native Plant Soc. *Volunteer B.B. Lunch	13	14	15	16 *Hike *River Tour
17	18	19	20 *Herp. Meeting	21	22	23 *Hike
24/31 *Center Closed	25 *Center Closed	26 *Center Closed	27	28	29	30 *Hike

Monthly Programs

Canoe & Kayak Tour

Oct 21, Nov 18, Dec 16

9:00am-1:00pm

Join an Oxbow naturalist for a leisurely paddle down the St. Lucie River. Fee is \$10 per person. Children 5-7 are free. Reservations and payment must be made by noon the Wednesday prior.

Guided Nature Hikes

Every Saturday at 10:00am starting in November a naturalist will lead you through the Oxbow forest. Free, Please RSVP 785-5833.

Nature for Families

2nd Saturday of each month

12:30-2:30pm RSVP 785-5833 Free

October 14: Sensational Senses

Take the sensory challenge! Come experience nature using your nose, ears and sense of touch! This program is suitable for ages 4 and up.

Nov 11th: Family Drum Circle

What's a drum circle? It's the heartbeat of a community! Come discover the joy of percussion as we let "the wild child" in all of us out for a little fun! Appropriate for all ages.

Club Programs

St. Lucie Audubon Society

1st Thursday of each month from 7:00-9:00 p.m. (Speaker: 8:00)

October 5

Florida Grasshopper Sparrow

Paul Miller

November 2

Sea Turtles

Erik Martin

December 7

Film Trip to Ecuador

Mary and Jack Dodge

January 4

Whooping Cranes

Marty Folk

Lakela's Mint Chapter of the Florida Native Plant Society

2nd Tuesday of each month from 6:00-8:00 p.m. (Speaker: 7:00)

October 10. (field trip at 6 pm)

Wild Coffee Family of Florida

Dr. George Rogers, Professor

November 7

Florida Master Naturalist Program

Misty Alderman, Oxbow

December 12

Annual Potluck Dinner and Officer Elections

Photography Club

1st Wednesday of each month 6:30 p.m. (Field trip the next Sat.)

St. Lucie Regional Herpetological Society

3rd Wednesday of each month 7:00-9:00 p.m.



Teacher's Corner

Hands-on, Discovery Learning -School Field Trips at the Oxbow



The Oxbow Eco-Center provides educational programs designed using Sunshine State Standards and with FCAT style learning in mind. Our programs teach students about geologic processes that shape Florida, our vital natural resources, and the interconnections between people and the environment.

School programs this year include such exciting grade-level topics as: Eco-Explorers, Geology 101, The Boreal Forest, Living in a Watershed, Treasure Quest, Meet the Scientist, Fire in Florida Landscapes and Creature Feature.

For information about scheduling a program for youths call or e-mail Wren Underwood at 772-785-5842 ; underwoe@stlucieco.gov.